Do you have questions about	Then you should contact	The phone number is
<ul> <li>2a</li> <li>Medicare coverage for durable medical equipment (DME):</li> <li>• Wheel chairs, hospital beds, walkers, oxygen, etc.</li> <li>• Where to get a free list of Medicareapproved suppliers</li> </ul>	Medicare for DME  Look on the Internet at: www.medicare.gov or www.NGSMedicare.com	1-800-MEDICARE (1-800-633-4227)  TDD/TTY for the hearing and speech impaired: 1-877-486-2048
<ul> <li>Supplemental insurance (Medigap)</li> <li>Which insurance pays first</li> <li>Long-term care insurance</li> <li>Your medical bills</li> <li>Choosing a Medicare managed care health plan</li> <li>Finding help with prescription costs*</li> <li>How to appeal Medicare payment denials</li> </ul>	State Health Insurance Assistance Program (SHIP)  SHIP can give you FREE information or refer you to the right place.  Look on the Internet at: www.medicare.in.gov	1-800-452-4800  *Call SHIP number above or 1-800-MEDICARE for more information about the Part D Prescription Drug Benefit.
2c • Help paying for Medicare Part D premiums	HoosierRx – Indiana's State Pharmaceutical Assistance Program for low-income seniors  Look on the Internet at: www.in.gov/fssa/elderly/hoosierrx	1-866-267-4679 (toll free) or 1-317-234-1381
<ul> <li>2d</li> <li>Medicaid eligibility</li> <li>Assistance with Medicare costs</li> <li>Medicare Savings program</li> </ul>	Indiana Family and Social Services  Look on the internet at:  www.in.gov/fssa	1-800-403-0864

SECTION 2

### SECTION 3

Do you have questions about	Then you should contact	The phone number is
<ul><li>3a</li><li>The quality of care you received</li><li>Your rights and protections under</li><li>Medicare</li></ul>	Medicare Quality Improvement Organization (QIO) for Indiana – KEPRO QIO	1-855-408-8557 (toll free)
•How to submit your concerns about medical care or treatment	Look on the Internet at: www.keproqio.com	TDD/TTY for the hearing and speech impaired: <b>1-855-843-4776</b>
<ul> <li>3b</li> <li>Help for low-income persons</li> <li>In-home medical expenses</li> <li>Prescription costs</li> </ul>	Area Agency on Aging (AAA) or State Health Insurance Assistance Program (SHIP)	1-800-986-3505 (AAA) or 1-800-452-4800 (SHIP)
Medicare copayments and deductibles	Look on the Internet at: www.iaaaa.org or www.medicare.in.gov	
3c • How to report Medicare Fraud and Abuse.	Medicare Fraud and Abuse Hotline	1-800-447-8477  TDD/TTY for the hearing and speech impaired: 1-800-377-4950
<ul> <li>3d</li> <li>Services available for older persons and persons with disabilities</li> </ul>	Indiana Division of Aging, or Area Agency on Aging (AAA)	1-800-545-7763 or 1-800-986-3505 (AAA)
<ul><li>3e</li><li>How to file a complaint against your insurance company or agent.</li></ul>	Indiana Department of Insurance	1-800-622-4461
<ul><li>3f</li><li>Whom to call for all other questions for senior services.</li></ul>	Area Agency on Aging (AAA) or State Health Insurance Assistance Program (SHIP)	1-800-986-3505 (AAA) or 1-800-452-4800 (SHIP)

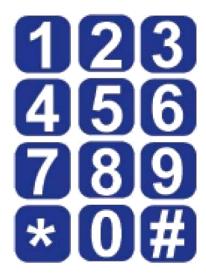
## **Medicare Helpful Tips!**

- Ask questions about Medicare coverage you do not understand. Customer Service Representatives are Available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week
- 2. By law, your health care provider must file claims with Medicare.
- 3. Never give your Medicare number to anyone but a health care provider, your supplement insurer, SHIP representative or the Medicare Helpline.
- 4. The only time Medicare will call you is to get more information.
- 5. Always report fraud and abuse to Medicare.
- 6. Never pay the provider or supplier up front, except for deductible or coinsurance, on assigned claims.
- 7. Be careful when choosing a Medicare Part D Prescription Drug Plan. Call 1-800-MEDICARE or SHIP with questions or concerns.
- 8. Carefully read your Medicare Summary Notice (MSN) and keep it for at least one year.

Web site: www.medicare.gov Call 1-800-MEDICARE (1-800-633-4227)

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# **Important Phone Numbers**





LOCAL HELP FOR PEOPLE WITH MEDICARE

#### **SECTION 1**

Do you have questions about	Then you should contact	The phone number is
1a	Social Security Administration (SSA)or	1-800-772-1213*
Replacing a Medicare card	your local Social Security Office	
• How to update a Medicare file (change of		TDD/TTY for the hearing and speech
address or date of death)	Look on the Internet at:	impaired: 1-800-325-0778 *
Enrolling in Medicare	www.socialsecurity.gov	
• The Medicare premium amount taken out		Railroad retirees should call their local
of your Social Security check		Railroad Retirement Board Offices or
		1-877-772-5772
<b>1b</b> Your Medicare Part A (Hospital)	Medicare of Indiana	1-800-MEDICARE
coverage:		(1-800-633-4227)
•What it pays for hospital care	Look on the Internet at:	
<ul> <li>What it pays for skilled nursing facility</li> </ul>	www.medicare.gov or	TDD/TTY for the hearing and speech
(nursing home) care	www.NGSMedicare.com	impaired: <b>1-877-486-2048</b>
Why your claim was not paid		
<ul> <li>Prescription drug coverage</li> </ul>		
1c	Medicare for Home Health and	1-800-MEDICARE
Your home health and hospice coverage	Hospice	(1-800-633-4227)
under Medicare:		
Asking about claim	Look on the Internet at:	TDD/TTY for the hearing and speech
	www.pgba.com or	impaired: <b>1-877-486-2048</b>
	www.medicare.gov	
1d	Medicare of Indiana or Railroad	1-800-MEDICARE*
Your Medicare Part B (Medical) coverage:	Medicare	(1-800-633-4227)
Asking about a claim		
• Doctor's services	Look on the Internet at:	TDD/TTY for the hearing and speech
Outpatient care	www.medicare.gov or	impaired: <b>1-877-486-2048</b>
Other medical services	www.NGSMedicare.com	*Railroad retirees should call Medicare at
• Where to get a free list of Medicare-		<b>1-800-833-4455</b> or their local Railroad
approved doctors		Retirement Board
Prescription drug coverage		